

## PATENT

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(MBHB Case No. 98-627)

In the Application of: )  
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) Group Art Unit: 2666  
Serial No. 09/259,757 )  
) Examiner: Phuc H. Tran  
Filed: February 27, 1999 )  
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For: System and Method for Insuring Dynamic Host )  
Configuration Protocol Operation by a Host )  
Connected to a Data Network )

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